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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, GE

SUBJECT: EUROPEAN COMMUNIST PARTY CONFERENCE

REF: ROME 9099

1. WE HAVE NOT YET BEEN ABLE TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE  
DRAFTING COMMITTEE OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNIST PARTY  
CONFERENCE (ECPC) MET IN EAST BERLIN ON JUNE 30 AS  
HAS BEEN RUMORED.

2. IN THIS CONNECTION THE PRESS ACCOUNT OF THE MEETING  
ON JULY 1 BETWEEN SED FIRST SECRETARY HONECKER AND  
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SECRETARY OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE RUMANIAN

COMMUNIST PARTY STEFAN ANDREI MAY BE OF SOME INTEREST.  
IT DESCRIBES THE ENCOUNTER AS HAVING CONSISTED OF A  
"COMRADELY EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON QUESTIONS OF RELATIONS  
BETWEEN THE SED AND THE RCP, THE GDR AND ROMANIA, AND  
INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS." THE WORD "COMRADELY" IS, AT  
BEST, A LUKEWARM FORMULATION IN LOCAL USAGE AND  
SUGGESTS THAT THERE MAY CONTINUE TO BE IMPORTANT AREAS  
OF DIFFERENCE WITH REGARD TO THE ECPC BETWEEN THE  
ROMANIAN AND EAST GERMAN LEADERSHIP, THE LATTER OF  
COURSE REFLECTING THE SOVIET VIEW.COOPER

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